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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant submits herewith copies of publications that the Office may wish to consider in examination of the subject application. These references were cited in an International Search Report for corresponding PCT/US99/30519. A copy of the International Search Report is enclosed. The publications are listed on the attached form PTO-1449.

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